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Price Two Cents

## Summer Sale

of STRAW HATS and OXFORDS

Any Straw Hat in the Store except Panamas  
HALF PRICE

All Oxfords reduced. Some lots 10 per cent. Some  
lots 20 per cent. Odd and ends at extra low prices.

## Eckert's Store

"On The Square"

## WALTER'S THEATRE

EDISON COMEDY VITAGRAPH COMEDY CINES DRAMA  
Mr. John Bunny and Miss Flora Finch in

THERE'S MUSIC IN THE HAIR

There is music in the Hair of Professor Liebschnitz and Professor  
Staccato. The latter strikes a false note and Liebschnitz carries off the  
prize.

HIS UNDESIRABLE RELATIVES... Edison

The newly weds are pestered to death by hubby's relatives—an aw-  
ful collection of freaks. Finally the cook breaks out with a terrible rash.  
Cranberry sauce—and the relatives flee from thence to whence.

SCENES IN TOKYO, JAPAN... Vitagraph Scenic  
A HEART OF STEEL... Cines Drama

## THE QUALITY SHOP

We are offering liberal reductions on all summer  
suitings.

Will M. Seligman,  
TAILOR.

## NEW PHOTOPLAY

Special two reel production by the Vitagraph Co. tonight—  
THE STRENGTH OF MEN—VITAGRAPH TWO REELS

Two young and husky prospectors, rivals for the love of a woman and the quest  
for gold, put their endurance to the test in reaching the goal of their ambitions,  
fighting their way through the overwhelming snows and forest fires of Alaskan  
forests. To reach their aim, they race for miles in their canoes, through rapids  
and torrents. While making their way through the burning and falling trees, they  
struggle in a hand-to-hand conflict until exhausted, both injured, and they agree  
to help each other to escape the inevitable death. Their great strength is shown in  
their readiness to forgive and forget, and they let the girl make her choice and the  
rejected one rejoices in the happiness of the other.

SUNSHINE SUE—Lubin Comedy  
A SLIGHT MISTAKE—Lubin Comedy

Now is the time to

## CLEAN AND PURIFY

YOUR

## HOMES AND THE TOWN

We sell all kinds of Disinfectants and instruct you  
in their use.

Call or Phone:

The People's Drug Store.

## Here's For Your Picnic Dinner

Everybody is thinking of Picnics these days, so we have provided all  
the choice dainties to make up a delicious Picnic Dinner:

Olives, Cheese, Pickles, Package Cakes and Crackers, Deviled Sar-  
dines, Potted Ham and Tongue, and Chicken, Baked Beans, Cold  
Boiled Ham.

Picnic Plates, Knives, Forks and Spoons.

Gettysburg Department Store.

## Special Reduction Sale

This sale offers the widest, possible choice from  
this season's very newest patterns and colors.

J. D. LIPPY, TAILOR.

Save Money--That's what You Do, When you get  
Dr. Hudson on the job. He don't farm you with any un-  
necessary trips at your expense. That's not his reputation.  
Any phone, call Dr. Hudson, the leading Veterinarian.

## PREPARING FOR FALL PRIMARIES

County Commissioners Extend Time  
for Filing Lists of Offices to be  
Filled. Provisions of the New  
Election Laws.

Office seekers who desire to have  
their names placed on the official bal-  
lots at the primary election on Tues-  
day, September 16, will be busily en-  
gaged the next ten days in securing  
signers to their petitions.

The first of the new series of peti-  
tions which are required to be used  
this year under the provisions of the  
state-wide primary bill were received  
by the county commissioners Monday.

The new petitions to be used  
are of three different kinds. Those  
for borough, township and local party  
offices, except inspector of election,  
require ten signers while those for  
the inspector only require five signers.  
The county office petitions require at  
least one hundred signers.

The new blanks contain the follow-  
ing instructions which are new:

"No nomination petition is legal if  
any of the signatures are taken prior  
to sixty days before the last day set  
for filing.

"No elector shall sign more candi-  
dates' petitions for the same office  
than he can vote for at the election.

"All blanks must be filed in the of-  
fice of the county commissioners  
twenty-one days before the primary."

The nominations in Gettysburg will  
include chief burgess, high constable,  
election officers, assessors, tax collec-  
tors, auditors, school directors and  
councilmen as well as various officers  
in all the townships.

The new law provides that the list  
of offices to be filled must be filed  
with the county commissioners not  
later than the ninth Tuesday pre-  
ceding the primary. Notice to this effect  
came too late for all to comply with it,  
the time prescribed being Tuesday,  
July 15, and for the past week Clerk  
George W. Baker has been receiving  
them. At to-day's meeting of the  
county commissioners this coming  
Saturday was named as the last day  
on which such notices would be re-  
ceived.

Another matter that is giving the  
county officials some concern is the  
party enrollment bill which is now in  
the hands of Governor Tener. Up to  
the present time it has not been  
signed or vetoed. This bill affects all  
the districts in the county. Under the  
terms of the bill the voter must state  
his preference of the party for which  
he intends to vote. The voting and  
check lists for these districts cannot  
be started by the state printer until  
the outcome of this bill is known.

### ORRTANNA

Orrtanna—Miss Minnie Gifford, of  
Spring Lake, New Jersey, returned  
home Monday after spending a few  
weeks at the home of L. F. Mickle.  
Miss Ethel Mickle accompanied her  
home for a month's vacation.

Mrs. Margaret Baumgardner has  
gone to Hanover to attend the fun-  
eral of her brother-in-law, L. S. Myers.

Mrs. M. F. Stoner, Mrs. Clinton  
Hager, and Charles Hankey are  
spending a few days with Mrs. Sam-  
uel Hostetter at the Owl's Nest,  
Charmian.

James Boyd spent Sunday with his  
son, Robert, who is being treated at  
the Chambersburg Hospital.

Mrs. W. Hoffman, of Creagerstown,  
Md., is visiting her mother, Mrs. An-  
na Hankey, this week.

Miss Mary Kready entertained quite  
a number of girl friends at her home  
last Thursday.

George Swope and wife have gone  
to McKnightstown to spend the week  
after visiting for some time with the  
family of Samuel Baltzley.

David Sheetz, of Englevalle, North  
Dakota, and brother, Riley Sheetz, of  
Tracey, Minn., returned to their  
homes after a month's visit with  
friends at this county. They were  
guests while here of Mr. and Mrs. M.  
F. Stoner.

Blackberries and huckleberries are  
extremely plentiful. Blackberries are  
selling for four cents a quart, while  
huckleberries sell for eight and ten.

ANNUAL picnic under auspices of  
St. Francis Xavier Church will be held  
at Rosensteel's pavilion, Round Top,  
Wednesday, August 13th. Meals and  
refreshments will be served on the  
grounds.—advertisement 1

IMPORTED Pilsner beer on draft  
at Hotel Gettysburg.—advertisement 1

LOOK for Pittenturf's sale on Fri-  
day, July 25th.—advertisement 1

## EXPECTING HALF CROP OF APPLES

Official Report of Adams County  
Shows that May Frosts Did Great  
Damage. Quality will be Fine.  
Other Sections also Hurt.

Official reports of the condition of  
Adams County's fruit crops have been  
prepared and show that the yield of  
apples this year will be about half  
the normal crop. There will be a 90  
per cent crop of peaches, 60 per cent  
of plums and 75 per cent of pears.

Over almost the entire state severe  
damage was done by the freezing  
weather of May 11 and 12 and in only  
one county, Lycoming, is a full crop  
expected. Berks, Snyder, Northumber-  
land and Union counties expect slight-  
ly more than half a crop but the ma-  
jority are less and the average for  
the apple producing counties of the  
state is only 36 per cent of the normal  
crop. New York State will have  
about 57 per cent of a normal crop  
and the other principal apple produc-  
ing states vary from 10 per cent in  
West Virginia to 100 per cent in  
Nebraska and Wisconsin. The state of  
Washington reports about 80 per cent.

Practically all the growers in this  
county suffered heavy losses through  
the frosts in May. The early varieties  
were less seriously damaged than  
the later ones, and the older trees  
came out with the least damage, trees  
twenty five years and older, though on  
low ground, coming through with  
comparatively little harm.

While the crop here is only half as  
large as originally expected, the qual-  
ity of the fruit has never been better  
than it will be this year. It is well  
distributed over the trees and, with  
favorable weather conditions, should  
result in an excellent crop.

The summer meeting of the State  
Horticultural Association of Penn-  
sylvania will be held in Adams Coun-  
ty September 10 and 11 and promi-  
nent fruit growers from all over the  
state and from neighboring states will  
tour our orchards at that time.

### LOWER PARCEL RATES

Packages Weighing 20 Pounds to be  
Carried; Prices Lower Here.

Plans for the extension, improve-  
ment and reduction in rates of the  
parcel post have been announced by  
Postmaster General Burleson.

The changes, which are to become  
effective on August 15, include an in-  
crease from eleven pounds to twenty  
pounds in the maximum weight of  
parcels; a material reduction in the  
postage rates in the first and second  
zones, and the abandonment of the  
parcel post map as a means of com-  
puting rates and the substitution for  
it of a rate chart individualized to  
every post office in the United States.  
The plans contemplate the purchase  
of a large number of automobiles to  
be used exclusively for the delivery  
of parcel post matter.

Though, for the present, the maxi-  
mum weight limit of twenty pounds  
and the reduction in rates will apply  
only to the first and second zones,  
from any given post office—a distance  
of about 150 miles—the changes di-  
rected constitute the first long step  
towards a universal extension of the  
system and a general reduction in  
the rates of postage on parcel matter.

Under regulations recently adopt-  
ed the use of distinctive stamps no  
longer is mandatory and the public  
now is permitted to mail parcels with  
ordinary stamps affixed.

### LAYING CONCRETE

First Square on York Street Making  
Good Improvement.

The property owners on the south  
side of the first block of York street,  
who have not already had concrete  
pavements laid, have now given out  
the contracts and the entire square  
will have the modern pavement with-  
in the next ten days. This is the first  
block in the central portion of town to  
be so improved and, with the new  
highway, will add greatly to the val-  
ue of the properties in that section.

WANTED: young man wants posi-  
tion in town. Apply Times Office.—ad-  
vertisement 1

TYPEWRITER for sale cheap. For  
kind and price write or inquire of Cur-  
vin W. Leese, 325 York street, Gettys-  
burg, Pa.—advertisement 1

FURNISHED and unfurnished  
rooms for rent in Hammond Building.  
Apply P. W. Stallsmith's News  
Stand.—advertisement 1

## COUNTY TO HAVE SPELLING MATCH

Every District in the County Expect-  
ed to Join in Big Spelling Contest.  
Will Pick out the Best Speller  
More Teachers Elected.

Adams County is going to have one  
big spelling contest next winter in  
which it is planned to have all the  
schools of the county join.

Each school will select its champion  
speller and each district will have  
matches to find out the best pupil in  
its schools. All will be chosen with the  
view to holding a final match in Get-  
tysburg, late in the winter or early  
in the spring, at which time the con-  
testants will indulge in the old fash-  
ioned "bee" to spell down the un-  
worthy ones and to select the best  
speller in the county.

The system has been followed in a  
number of counties and has proved  
highly successful, general interest be-  
ing taken in the preliminary contests  
and even more in the final match. All  
the details will be arranged before  
the annual summer meeting of teach-  
ers, to be held in Brua Chapel on  
August 27, when County Superinten-  
dent Roth will outline the entire  
plan. Prominent men will be present  
to address this meeting which is to  
be marked by new features.

The following school districts have  
added their lists of teachers elected  
to those already announced:

Berwick township: Beaver Creek, J.  
M. Danner; Walnut Grove, G. H.  
Danner; Green Spring, G. Allen Yohe.

Reading township: Hampton, Mamie  
Border; Round Hill, Ivy Kraber; Ger-  
many, Carrie Wilt; Baker's, Elmer M.  
Gruber; Hollinger's, Wilbert Leib;  
Stouffer's, Mary G. Brough; Hoover's,  
Margaret M. Sunday; Conewago In-  
dependent, Floyd Wolf.

Conewago township: Sand Hill  
Grammar, J. Francis Yake; Sand Hill  
Primary, Edna Baseoar; Mt. Pleas-  
ant Grammar, Lawrence Smith; Mt.  
Pleasant Primary, Helen Robinson;  
Midway Primary, Edith Follmar;  
Locust Grove, M. L. Myers; Locust  
Grove Primary, Miss McDowell.

Germany township has elected these  
teachers: Ash Grove, John Wisler;  
Mt. Vernon, Mary Harman; Slate  
Ridge, Lloyd Stavelly; Oak Grove, C.  
F. Palmer; Mt. Pleasant, Irvin Brum-  
gard.

Franklin township: Mummasburg,  
Raymond Deardorff; Mt. Vernon, Ze-  
lia Minter; Flohr's, Alice Miller;  
Cashtown, Stella Starnier; Scott's,  
Alma Henry; Poplar Springs, Ruth  
Sharrah; Bingham's, C. B. Carbaugh;  
Newman's, Ruth Cole; Strasbaugh's,  
Eugene Strasbaugh; Brady's, C. A.  
Cluck; Hall's, vacant; Sheely's, E. W.  
Hartman; Paradise, Edna Hartman;  
Rocky Grove, Anna Hartman; Van  
Dyke's, Ruth Deardorff.

### RETURNS FROM WEST

J. Small Stable Visiting Friends in  
the East.

The York Daily says: "J. Small  
Stable, of Grand Rapids, Mich., is  
spending some time in the city with  
his sister, Mrs. John F. Young, and  
other relatives in the city and vicinity.  
Mr. Stable is a son of Mr. and Mrs.  
William Stable, both deceased. He is  
a printer by trade and is now oper-  
ating a linotype machine on one of the  
leading newspapers in Grand Rapids.  
Mr. Stable learned his trade on the  
old Gettysburg Compiler, under his  
uncle, Colonel H. J. Stable, who 30  
years ago was one of the bright lights  
in newspaperdom in Pennsylvania.  
Mr. Stable left York 27 years ago  
and this is his first visit to his old  
home since then. He is much surpris-  
ed at the growth and development of  
York since his absence from the city."

### TENNIS CLUB

Spent Week's Outing at Adams  
County Farm.

The Dauphin Tennis Club has re-  
turned from a delightful week's out-  
ing at the Grist farm at Guernsey.  
Among those in the party were: Mr.  
and Mrs. Rhodenhaver, Miss Ruth  
Farmer, of Harrisburg; Misses Ruth  
and Anne Shafer, Ann Miller, Anna  
Hoffman, Ray Hoffman, George  
Shultz, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Atticks, of  
Dauphin.

STILL plenty of lumber at the vet-  
erans' camp; for sale cheap. Thomp-  
son and Miller.—advertisement 1

RAGS wanted: highest cash price  
paid for clean white rags. Times Of-  
fice.—advertisement 1

## FAILED TO GET LOCAL MONEY

Pickpockets Operating in Crowds  
Containing Many Gettysburg  
People Failed to Find Local Mon-  
ey. Many Report Losses.

While thirty or forty Gettysburg  
people were enjoying the attractions  
at Pen Mar Saturday evening pick-  
pockets were operating among the  
hundreds at the park and a number  
reported losses. None of the Gettys-  
burg contingent suffered, however.

W. E. Culp, a Chambersburg young  
man, was a victim. His pocketbook,  
containing \$25, was taken from his  
hip-pocket while he was standing in  
the crowd, waiting for the arrival of  
the car to go to Waynesboro.

Mr. Culp missed his wallet just as  
he entered the car, but, thinking it  
useless to endeavor to find who stole  
it, he continued on to Waynesboro.

Fritz Heick, Waynesboro, had \$30  
stolen from him earlier in the evening.

A. S. Kaufman, Waynesboro, was  
the heaviest loser. Seventy dollars  
was stolen from him, Sunday even-  
ing.

He was in the crowd waiting for  
the car and after getting in the car  
he reached for his pocketbook, in his  
hip-pocket, and found it gone. Mr.  
Kaufman, thinking that probably he  
had lost the pocket book, got off the  
car and made a search for it, but  
could not find it. The loser of the wal-  
let only had ten cents left which he  
used to return to Waynesboro.

It is believed that several men are  
operating together at Pen Mar. One  
man was observed going through  
another man's pocket while he was  
waiting for the 7:30 car, Sunday even-  
ing, but it is not believed the latter  
lost any money.

### GRANGERS' PICNIC

Outlook for the Approaching Exhi-  
bition Is Bright.

As August draws near Adams  
County people begin to think of the  
Grangers' Picnic which will be held  
as usual at Williams Grove August  
25 to 30. Arrangements are being  
made for the great fair by Manager  
R. H. Thomas and the event prom-  
ises to outclass all former exhibits.  
There will be more machinery than  
ever before. The number of carloads  
unloaded last year was 127—this  
year there will be at least 130 with  
the probabilities of 140.

An exhibition for farmers would  
not be complete without a stock ex-  
hibit. S. U. G. McCreary is in charge  
as heretofore, and he is sure that one  
and all will be captivated with the  
display of stock which will be in the  
upper part of the Grove.

On Central Avenue near Head-  
quarters, is located Horticultural  
Hall, containing a full display of  
fruits, flowers and other examples of  
farm and garden culture.

This year the midway will be great-  
er than ever. It will be over a quar-  
ter of a mile long and will contain the  
best class of amusements and side  
shows that can be found. Daniel Trim-  
per has charge of all these attractions  
and states that the midway at the  
Grangers' Picnic in 1913 will only be  
surpassed by the big expositions.

The camp this year will be fully as  
large as last year, if not larger, every  
cottage will be taken up and also a  
great number of canvas tents.

### JOHN D. CULP

Native of Gettysburg Died Sunday in  
Reading.

John D. Culp, of Reading, died at  
his home Sunday afternoon, July 20th.  
He was born in Gettysburg July 6,  
1854, a son of John H. and Dorothy  
Culp.

He is survived by his wife, two  
sons and two daughters.  
Funeral in Reading Saturday af-  
ternoon at two o'clock.

### SOLD OLD FURNITURE

Furniture of Mrs. Cynthia Young  
Sold at her Home.

The household effects of the late  
Mrs. Cynthia Young were sold on Sat-  
urday at her home at Two Taverns.  
A corner cupboard brought \$42.50, a  
pair of andirons, \$21.50 and furniture  
from \$8 to \$12.

### COMING EVENTS

July 23—Opening of U. S. Marine Of-  
ficers School.

July 24—Meeting of Physicians from  
Five Counties. Court House.

Aug. 1—Opening of Gettysburg's  
Third Annual Chautauqua.

## LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents send in Many Items  
of Interesting News from their  
Respective Towns. Personals  
and Many Brief Items.

### CASHTOWN

Cashtown—The nearby farmers are  
through with their harvest and are  
starting to thresh some of their crops  
which seem to turn out well.

On last Sunday morning about 3  
o'clock another auto wreck took place  
on the Hartman curve above this  
place when a car came down the pike  
full tilt. Instead of blowing horn and  
slowing up they just did the reverse  
and ran into the fence. One front  
wheel was smashed and tossed. Sev-  
eral of the party were stunned. No  
one saw the wreck until the party  
called up some citizens.

Charles Forsythe, wife and son, of  
Altoona, are spending several days  
with their parents in this place.

Harry Hartman, of Hagerstown,  
spent Sunday with his parents and  
brother on High street.

Mrs. William Jones and daughter,  
Joyce, and Miss Mabel Leidic, of Har-  
risburg, are spending some time with  
Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Jacob Deardorff, in this place.

G. W. Lavender, who lived in this  
place about 80 years of his life and  
last fall moved to Frederick, we are  
now glad to see back to visit our town  
once more.

Mrs. H. A. Bucher recently spent a  
day in Chambersburg with relatives.

A. W. Stockton, of Washington, D.  
C., spent part of his vacation with  
his relatives in this place.

Mrs. Stine and Miss Stine, of Har-  
risburg, spent several days with Miss  
Minnie Heiges and mother in this  
place.

E. W. Hartman, with a gang of  
hands, left on Monday morning for  
Mechanicsburg where he has taken a  
contract of budding for Mr. Wicker-  
sham which will take until about  
Sept. 1st.

Adam Bucher has gone to Frank-  
lin County where he intends to spend  
some time among friends in Fayette-  
ville, Shady Grove and Waynesboro.

G. M. Bucher met with a very pain-  
ful accident last week one day. While  
unloading hay he had his hand caught  
in the pulley which crushed one finger  
and the rest were badly bruised. Dr.  
Woomer dressed the hand and he is  
getting along very nicely but will  
not be able to work for some time.

G. W. Schwartz, of this place, has  
purchased a new Oakland car. This is  
the first one of that kind to come to  
our town.

### IRON SPRINGS

Iron Springs—The Hamiltonban  
township school board met on July 7  
and organized as follows: William  
Watson, president; William McClell,  
treasurer; O. B. Lightner, secretary.  
The other members of the board are:  
Ambrose Sanders and Calvin Sand-  
ers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Allison, Al-  
bert Golden, Mary Allison, Jenna-  
vella Allison, Clara Allison, and Mil-  
dred Allison visited relatives at Table  
Rock on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Grant Bigham, of Washing-  
ton, D. C., is visiting her brother-in-  
law, John Bigham and family.

Misses Gifford and Naomi Hummel-  
baugh returned to their home near  
Fairfield Station after visiting their  
sister, Mrs. Charles R. Slaybaugh, of  
near York Springs.

The Hamiltonban township teachers  
association re-organized Saturday by  
electing Charles Frey, president;  
Percy Walker, vice president; Harry  
Pecher, treasurer; and Miss Clara  
Moore secretary.

### ADMITS GUILT

George Crosby is Held for Court by  
Squire Harnish.

At a hearing before Squire Har-  
nish on Monday George Crosby, ac-  
cused of numerous thefts of small ar-  
ticles from employees on the state  
road near Granite Station, admitted  
his guilt and was returned to jail to  
await August Court.

### GETS FIVE DAYS

Q. Riley Gets Five Days in Adams  
County Jail.

One who gave his name as Q. Riley  
was taken in charge by Officer Wilson.  
Monday afternoon and given five days  
in jail for drunkenness.

KODAKS, films, everything in the  
Kodak line, always fresh. Huber's  
Drug Store. advertisement. 1



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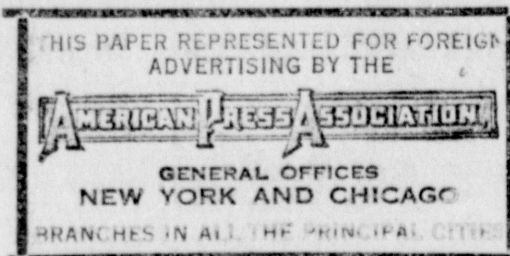
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## THE BREATHING SOLE SHOE

These SHOES are worn for very strenuous out-door work; are beneficial to the feet instead of injurious, as all rubber bottomed shoes are. They absorb all irritating moisture and when taken off cleanses itself by evaporation; will OUTWEAR LEATHER SHOES at same price.

Ask to see the FISOLE Shoe.

G. B. KITZMILLER.

## For Sale

600 live chestnut poles 22 feet long, 4 inch top. Ready for delivery after July 15. Can be seen standing at camp of veterans, 50th Anniversary. Any reasonable offer accepted. Gettysburg Lighting Co. T. P. Turner.

## CRISIS NEAR IN MEXICAN AFFAIRS

President Wilson Believes Huerta Regime is Doomed.

### RECEIVE ALARMING NEWS

Administration, Firm Against Recognition, is Awaiting the Arrival of Ambassador Wilson.

Washington, July 22.—Alarming reports of an approaching crisis in Mexico have been received here by high government officials.

It was authoritatively stated upon unimpeachable authority that the developments of the coming two weeks are regarded as fraught with tremendous importance to the Huerta government.

So delicate is the information they contain that an intimation of the advice became known only with the stipulation that it was unofficial and that it should not be represented as being the view of any official of the United States government.

Authoritative publication of the nature of the advice, it was said, probably would precipitate the very crisis the dispatches forecast. The means by which the predicted events were to be brought to pass or what was to follow were not hinted at in the reports, which, so far, have found no reflection in military or naval preparations by the United States.

Meanwhile the administration is marking time on the Mexican problem, pending the arrival of Ambassador Wilson from Mexico City. He is expected by Thursday or Friday.

President Wilson finds himself in the same state of doubt as to actual conditions in the rebellion-torn republic at the facts, he summoned the American ambassador to the capital.

He realizes that even the Americans scattered throughout Mexico individually are unable to get a comprehensive view of the situation in the whole country, their judgment being affected by purely local events.

From the Mexican capital come reports that have turned every engagement into a federal victory, and so far the administration has heard absolutely nothing, except through press reports, from the Constitutional side of the case. This has led to an intimation that information of reliable character would be welcomed by the administration.

At the request of Secretary Bryan Surgeon General Blue, of the public health service, has ordered quarantine officers at Havana and Key West to expedite the passage of Ambassador Wilson.

Official advice have been received by the state department from the American embassy in Mexico City that the projected pro-Japanese demonstrations in that capital would not take place.

This news is regarded as of great importance, as it indicates a realization on the part of the Huerta government that those demonstrations might have an effect, so far as the United States is concerned, different from that intended.

President Wilson, Secretary Bryan and other high officers of the administration are convinced that much of the anti-American sentiment in Mexico City is artificial. A government official said that the president, after careful inquiry, had learned enough to convince him that a group of persons in the Mexican capital was responsible for demonstrations that had taken place and that those affairs were not due to any popular feeling.

### MRS. GRANT'S WILL FILED

Leaves Property in Philadelphia to Step-Daughter and Husband.

Reading, Pa., July 22.—By the will of Mrs. Mary E. A. M. Grant, of Douglassville, daughter of the late Colonel M. H. Messersch, whose estate of several millions reverts to remote blood relatives for whom a world-wide hunt has begun, the bulk of her own estate is given to her step-daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Guldin Irey, who lived with her.

Mrs. Irey receives the property at 17 North Eighth street, Philadelphia, while her husband gets 325 Spruce street, Philadelphia. No estimate is given of the estate, but it may reach \$2,000,000.

### Shot Son For Eating Pie.

Springfield, O., July 22.—Because his fourteen-year-old son, Clarence, picked up a piece of pie against his wishes, David Oglesbee, living three miles from West Jefferson, it is said, grabbed a shotgun and fired at the boy, who had run into the back yard. The boy's neck, shoulder and hip were pierced with about fifty shot, but his condition is not considered critical. Deputy Sheriff Humble arrested the father.

### Dies as Pardon is Granted.

Boston, July 22.—Cardenio F. King, the former financier, who was serving a fifteen-year sentence for embezzlement, died at the Bridgewater street hospital, Governor Foss, on learning that King's condition was serious, had obtained the consent of seven of the eight members of the executive council to pardon King, and the pardon was to be issued today.

Osborn, Erie Author, Dies in Prague. Prague, Austria, July 22.—Albert E. Osborn, a well known author and lawyer, of Erie, Pa., who arrived in Prague on July 11, died at his hotel from apoplexy. Mr. Osborn had been in ill health for some time and had sought relief in travel.

## GRIEVING HEIRESS TAKES HER LIFE

Miss Margaret Hiltner Drinks Poison in New York Hotel.

### HER HOME IN POTTSTOWN

She Had Been a Victim of Melancholia Since the Death of Her Mother Last Spring.

New York, July 22.—Margaret Hiltner, twenty-seven years old, whose home until recently was at 60 North Franklin avenue, Pottstown, Pa., committed suicide in her room at a hotel for women in East Seventy-ninth street. She had been a victim of melancholia since the death of her mother last spring.

Miss Hiltner, her brother, George W. Hiltner, and a sister leased a house in Hastings-on-the-Hudson a few weeks ago. It was the hope of the brother and sister that the change of scene would benefit Miss Margaret and that result was apparently obtained. But the young woman thought she would feel better mentally and physically were she engaged in some active work.

She determined to become an East Side settlement worker, and with that object in view came to New York from Hastings and registered at the Martha Washington hotel. Her brother and an unmarried sister were to have met her. When she did not appear he telephoned the hotel and Miss Hiltner's body was found in her room.

The young woman had ended her life while in bed. She was dressed in a nightgown when found by Mrs. Catherine Keegan, the housekeeper. Manager Brown immediately sent for Dr. Emile Williams, the house physician. There were evidences that Miss Hiltner had died from poisoning, according to Dr. Williams, although no bottle containing the poison was found in the room.

The sister was so overcome when she learned of Margaret's suicide that she fainted. The brother, who holds a responsible position in Pottstown, Pa., where the family is well known and respected, at once took charge of the body.

Miss Hiltner arrived at the hotel alone on Sunday and was assigned to room 722. According to the management, she had never stopped there before. The young woman was well dressed and had plenty of money. It was also learned that the dead girl was heiress to a considerable part of her father's estate.

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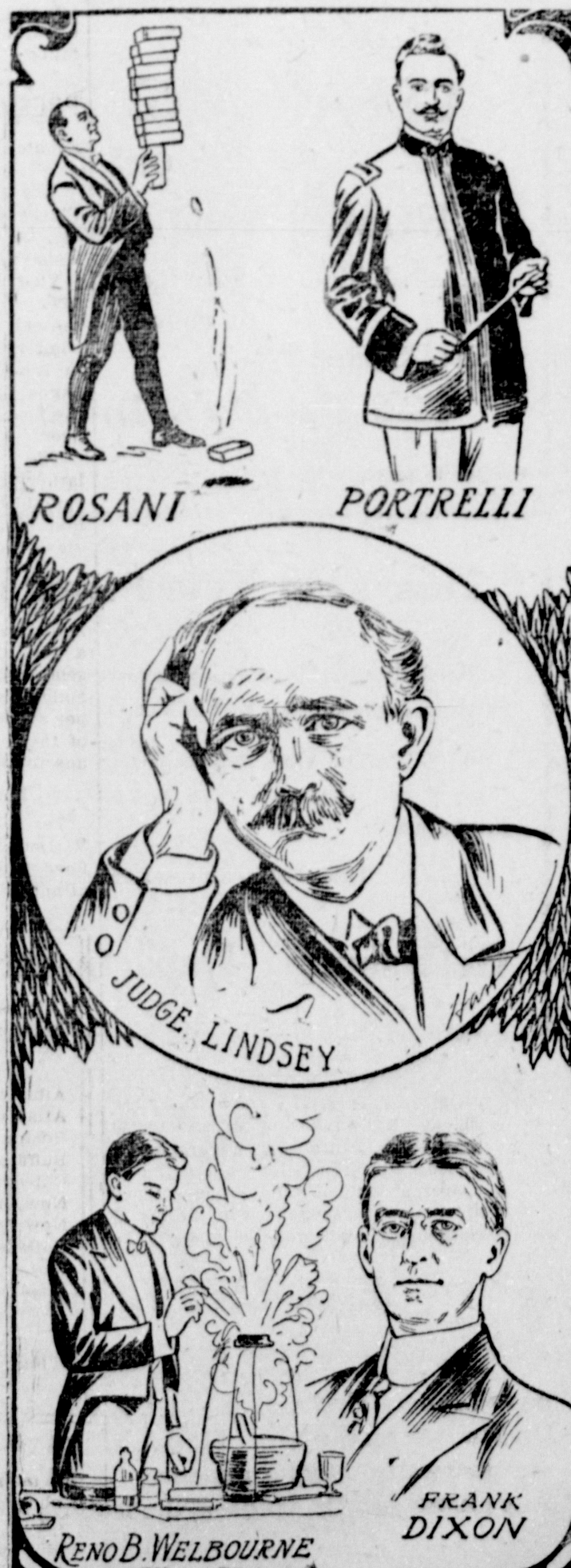
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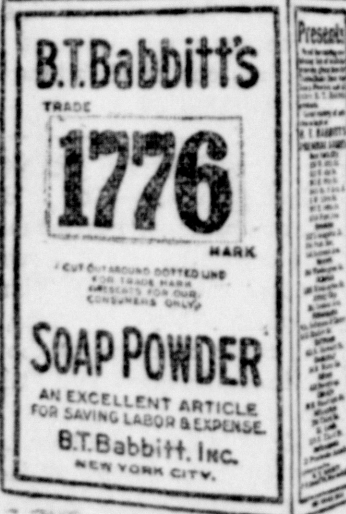
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## WATSON WAS TO GET \$10,000

Mulhall Tells of Work For  
Tariff Commission Bill.

PAID \$500 AS RETAINER

Former Lobbyist Produces Black List  
of Congressmen Who Incurred En-  
mity of the Manufacturers.

Washington, July 22.—Martin M. Mulhall, late "lobbyist" for the National Association of Manufacturers, testified before the senate lobby investigating committee that former Representative Watson, of Indiana, was employed in 1908, while a member of congress, to help "put through" a tariff commission bill at a retainer of \$500, \$250 a week and \$10,000 if he got the measure through congress. Mulhall did not say who was to pay.

It was brought out that the late Representative Henry C. Loudenslager, of New Jersey, secretary of the Republican congressional committee in 1908, seemed to have incurred the enmity of Mulhall in October of that year. Mulhall wrote to Schwedman, secretary of the manufacturers:

"I told this gentleman that the manufacturers of this country were tired of 'pinhead politics and pinhead politicians.' When I was through Mr. Loudenslager offered an apology, saying that he would be good from this time on, but I plainly gave him to understand that when he comes up for re-nomination he would hear from our people."

Mulhall did not fully explain why he had fallen out with Mr. Loudenslager.

Schwedman wrote Mulhall in October: "I do hope that when James E. Watson (of Indiana) gets in the governor's chair he will lay a half dozen of his good friends (?) over his knee and spank them to beat the band, including your special friend, Senator Beveridge. I hate false friends more than I do the worst enemies."

According to Schwedman the manufacturers intended to rally eventually to Watson's support as a candidate for president.

"We need a man of this type," he wrote. "A man who is not ashamed of his friends because they happen to be among the respectable people. The style of the politicians now seems to be to wear ragged clothes so that the voters among the rabble will come their way."

Mulhall said all his accounts were kept by an expert who accompanied him on his trips, evidently his wife. "She was driven crazy in the Sixth New Jersey campaign," said he. "She kept all my accounts and she was the best politician I ever knew."

A Mulhall expenses account, Oct. 31, 1908, showed an item of \$300 "paid to William M. Walsh, of the executive board in the Tenth, Eleventh and Fifteenth congressional districts of Pennsylvania to do general campaign work."

"I think we made a good friend of Senator Dilliver and he made me promise to call on him when we come to Washington," Schwedman wrote Mulhall on Dec. 1, 1909.

A long "black list" of congressmen, Republicans and Democrats, who had incurred the enmity of the manufacturers, and were to be opposed when they came up for re-election, was presented by Mulhall.

William Hughes, New Jersey, now senator; William B. Wilson, of Pennsylvania, now secretary of labor; Thomas D. Nichols, of the Tenth Pennsylvania; George A. Pearce, of the Sixth Maryland, and John L. Burnett, of the Seventh Alabama, were described by Mulhall as being on "the permanent black list," because they were in favor of labor legislation.

On another list Irvine L. Lenroot and Henry A. Cooper, of Wisconsin; Augustus P. Gardner, Massachusetts; Herbert Parsons, New York; William S. Greene, Massachusetts; Victor Mordock, Kansas; James T. McDermott, Illinois; Champ Clark, Missouri, and Gilbert N. Haugen, of Iowa, were in disfavor with the organization, Mulhall swore, because of their opposition to Speaker Cannon.

On another list were "Morse and Nelson, Wisconsin; Harry L. Maynard, Virginia, and Loudenslager, New Jersey."

On Nov. 2, 1908, two days before election, Mulhall wrote to Schwedman: "Following is a list of congressmen I would advise having Mr. Van Cleave send telegrams to, who, I feel sure, will be elected and who have been our friends in the past." The list included Sherman, Cannon, Burleigh, Dazell, Denby, Dwight, Fairchild, Fassett, Fordney, Hepburn, Kiefer, Longworth, McKinley, Malby, Mann, Moon, Parsons, Payne, Rainey and about forty others.

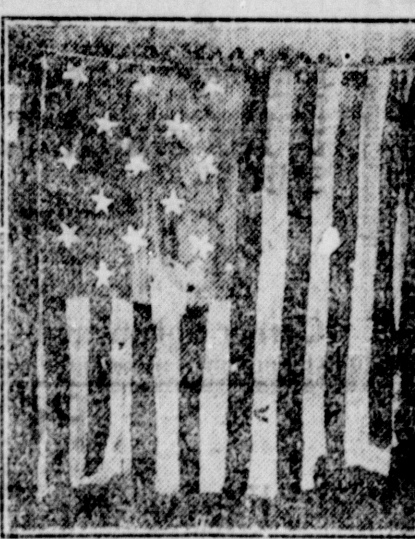
**Lower Car Steps For Women.**  
Chicago, July 22.—Officials of the Chicago Railways company announced that in the future all new cars put in service will have steps three inches nearer the ground for the convenience of women passengers, who protested against the high steps because of the prevailing vogue of narrow skirts.

**Building Resumes In Chicago.**  
Chicago, July 21.—Construction of \$40,000,000 worth of improvements was resumed with the return to work of 30,000 members of the building trades unions.

One of New York's largest stores has abolished "Dear Sir," "Dear Madam" and "Yours truly" from its letter writing.

## STAR SPANGLED BANNER.

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## OIL TRUST PAYS \$500,000 PENALTY

Texas Suit For \$102,000,000  
Abruptly Ends.

Greenville, Tex., July 22.—The Texas \$102,000,000 oil penalty suit was unexpectedly settled when the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, one of the defendants, paid \$500,000 in penalties in the Eighth district court.

The penalty was paid under an agreed settlement. By its terms John D. Archbold and H. C. Folger, Jr., of New York, Standard Oil men who are majority stockholders in the Magnolia Petroleum company, of Corsicana, Tex., another defendant, agree that their stock is to be held by a trustee to be selected by Attorney General B. F. Looney.

It is further agreed that the Magnolia and the Corsicana Petroleum company, the other Texas oil concern which is a defendant shall be operated wholly independent of Standard Oil interests.

## TO FLOOD CANAL OCT. 10

Colonel Goethals Fixes Date For Dynamiting Gamboa Dike.

Panama, July 22.—Colonel George W. Goethals, chief engineer in charge of the construction of the Panama canal, has notified Lieutenant Colonel David DuB. Gaillard, chief of the central division of the canal, that steam shovel work in the Culabra cut section hereafter will be conducted on the assumption that the Gamboa dike will be dynamited on Oct. 10.

Although it had been announced that this dynamiting would take place after Oct. 1, this is the first time the actual date has been named.

The destruction of the dike will permit Gatun lake to flood the cut, thereby practically connecting the Atlantic and Pacific, although actual navigation of the canal probably will not be attempted for some time thereafter. Excavation in the cut henceforth will be confined mainly to removing the remaining hard rock sections between Cucaracha slide and Empire, a distance of a mile.

## PRESIDES WITH HALF SHAVE

Senator Clarke Leaves Barber Shop to Rule Over Senate.

Washington, July 22.—Senator Clarke, president pro tem. of the senate, faced that august body with half a shave.

Vice President Marshall was out of town, and as the bells were thinking the call for assembly, Senator Clarke, comfortably stretched out in a chair in the barber shop, was warned by pages dashing about in squads, that the senate was without a presiding officer.

The senator hurriedly wiped the lather from his face and bolted for the chamber. The Republican side saw him clean shaven; the Democrats viewed a day's whiskers.

**Sixty-nine Years a School Teacher.**  
Philadelphia, July 22.—Professor Zephaniah Hopper, for sixty-nine years a teacher in the Philadelphia high school, died at his home. Although eighty-eight years old, Professor Hopper attended to his work until the end of the last term in June. Death was due to old age and the heat.

**Eugene V. Debs Ill.**  
Terre Haute, Ind., July 22.—Eugene V. Debs, the Socialist leader, is confined to his home here with an acute attack of lumbago.

## WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	63 Clear.
Atlantic City....	76 Clear.
Boston.....	66 P. Cloudy.
Buffalo.....	68 Clear.
Chicago.....	68 Clear.
New Orleans....	80 Cloudy.
New York.....	77 Clear.
Philadelphia....	78 Clear.
St. Louis.....	80 Clear.
Washington.....	76 Clear.

**The Weather.**  
Fair today and tomorrow; variable winds

## BASE BALL SCORES

Following Is the Result of Games Played Yesterday.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Detroit.—Detroit, 6; New York, 1.  
Batteries—Willett, McKoy; McConnell, Caldwell, Gossett, Smith.  
At Chicago.—Washington, 2; Chicago, 1.  
Batteries—Johnson, Almsmith; Russell, Benz, Cleotis, Schalk, Easterly.  
At Cleveland.—Cleveland, 6; Boston, 1.  
Batteries—Blanding, O'Neill; Moseley, Hall, Thomas.  
At St. Louis.—Athletics, 11; St. Louis, 8.  
Batteries—Shawkey, Bush, Schaag; Wellman, Stone, Alexander.

### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L.	P. C.	W. L.	P. C.
Athletics 63	26	Boston 42	44
Cleveland 53	37	Detroit 37	57
Washington 41	53	St. Louis 37	53
Chicago 50	44	St. York 28	58

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston.—Chicago, 6; Boston, 2.  
Batteries—Overall, Needham; Rudolph, Bariden.  
At Philadelphia.—Philadelphia, 3; Cincinnati, 1.  
Batteries—Santon, Kilmer; Sugars, Kling.  
At New York.—New York, 8; St. Louis, 4.  
Batteries—Wiltse, Crandall, Meyers, Hartley; Harmon, Burke, Geyer, Doak, Wingo.  
At Brooklyn.—Brooklyn, 13; Pittsburgh, 6.  
Batteries—Ragon, Robinson, Allen, Miller, Fischer; Hendrix, Cooper, Simon, Coleman.

### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L.	P. C.	W. L.	P. C.
N. York 53	25	Brooklyn 38	42
Philada. 42	36	Boston 36	47
Pittsburg 44	40	St. Louis 34	52
Chicago 45	41	Cincinnati 35	55

### TRISTATE LEAGUE.

At Atlantic City.—Atlantic City, 8; Trenton, 8.  
Batteries—Teal, Boelzie; Rasmussen, Kneppman.  
At Harrisburg.—Harrisburg, 2; York, 1 (1st game).  
Batteries—Williams, Knotts; O'Connor, Therre.  
York, 5; Harrisburg, 2 (2d game).  
Batteries—Fox, Therre; Schmidt, Knotts.

### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L.	P. C.	W. L.	P. C.
Wilmington 7	1st	Atlantic City 3	4th
Harrisburg 4	2d	Trenton 4	3d
York 1	1st	Atlantic City 1	2d
Wilmington 1	2d	Trenton 1	3d

## BULGARIA AGREES TO PEACE TERMS

Accepts Conditions Laid Down  
by Roumania, Serbia, Greece.

Bucharest, Roumania, July 22.—It is officially confirmed here that Bulgaria has accepted the conditions laid down by Roumania and has also agreed to the terms of peace with Serbia and Greece.

### Turks Retake Adrianople.

London, July 22.—A Sofia dispatch to the Times says:

"The Turks have entered Adrianople after a short conflict with a small Bulgarian defending force. The Bashibazouks are burning, pillaging and committing atrocities."

"Roumanian troops are advancing in an easterly direction, threatening eastern Bulgaria. The events of the last few days indicate the complete collapse of the authority of Europe."

The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Demir Hissar, describing the Bulgarian massacres, says: "Serres, a town of some 50,000 inhabitants, and all the countryside for miles is a reeking shambles. It is quite impossible to exaggerate either the number of the victims or the variety of barbarity in their deaths."

## BOAT PASSENGERS IN PANIC

Hudson River Steamer With Bad Leak Is Beached to Save Lives.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 22.—The steamer Tremper, loaded with panic-stricken passengers, was beached on the west side of the Hudson here, with the water pouring through a big hole in her bottom.

The Tremper, bound from Newburg to Albany, ran upon a reef on Esopus Island. The boat had settled very low before she reached the mainland after an exciting two-mile race.

### Bride Swallows Poison.

New York, July 22.—Because she could not keep pace with the styles, Mrs. William Jasper, nineteen years old, of 461 Walnut street, Yonkers, took poison. Mrs. Jasper was married only a few weeks ago. She asked her husband on Saturday to buy her a new style dress and a new hat. When he refused she swallowed the poison.

## GENERAL MARKETS

**PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR** weak; winter, clear, \$3.75@3.90; city mills, fancy, \$3.25@3.50.

**RYE FLOUR** quiet, at \$3.40@3.65 per barrel.

**WHEAT** firm; No. 2 red, new, 90 @90 1/2c.

**CORN** firm; No. 2 yellow, 7 1/4 @72c.

**OATS** quiet; No. 2 white, 46 @46 1/2c; lower grades, 44c.

**POULTRY** Live steady; hens, 18 @19c; old roosters, 12 @12c. Dressed firm; choice fowls, 19c; old roosters, 13 1/2c.

**BUTTER** quiet; fancy creamery, 20c per lb.

**EGGS** steady; selected, 26 @28c; nearby, 24c; western, 24c.

**POTATOES** steady, at 65c@1.80 per barrel.

### Live Stock Markets.

**PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards)** — CATTLE steady; choice, \$8.70@9; prime, \$8.30@8.50.

**SHEEP** slow; prime wethers, \$5.25 @5.35; culls and commons, \$2@3; lambs, \$4.50@7; veal calves, \$11 @11.50.

**HOGS** strong; prime heavies, \$9.65 @9.75; mediums, \$10; heavy Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs, \$10.05@10.10; roughs, \$8@8.50.

A Cincinnati man the other day crawled 100 feet in a filthy sewer to rescue a baby and succeeded, although nearly losing his life.

## PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Paragraphs of News Telling of the  
Happenings in and about Town.  
People Visiting Here and Those  
Sojourning Elsewhere.

Master Charles Boyer, of Harrisburg, is spending some time with Ralph Butt on Chambersburg street. Mrs. Formosa and son, Kenneth, of Philadelphia, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Irvin Leech, and sister, Mrs. Carrie Biggs, on Carlisle street. Mrs. Nellie Cason returned to New York this morning after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Tate on North Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Krug and Miss Margaret Krug have returned to Hanover after a visit of several days with friends here.

Heimer Swamley has returned to Lisbon, Iowa, after spending some time with friends here.

John Sachs and G. E. Miller are spending the day in Fairfield and Orrtanna.

Homer B. Walker left this morning on a week's trip to Cumberland and other points in Maryland.

Superintendent Kooztz, of the Lansford public schools, is spending several days with friends in town and the county.

Maurice S. Weaver, of Baltimore street, returned this morning after spending several days with friends in Mechanicsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eckenrode, of Omaha, Neb., are spending some time at the home of H. J. Brinkerhoff on Baltimore street.

S. J. Bumbaugh has returned from a business trip of several days to Hagerstown.

"Eddie" Plank is spending several days at his home and with friends in town.

R. C. Miller, of Baltimore street, has been spending the past few days at Johnstown.

James Eckenrode, of Philadelphia, is spending his vacation at his home on West High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Butt, of Harrisburg, have returned home after spending several days with A. H. Butt on Chambersburg street.

Elmer Sager, of The Rittenhouse, Philadelphia, and Mrs. Sager were guests Monday at the Eagle Hotel.

Guy W. Mickleby has returned to his home on Chambersburg street after a week's visit in Lemoyne.

## STRICKEN BLIND BY SHOCK

Workman Loses Sight After Shower of Electric Sparks Hit Face.

Philadelphia, July 22.—W. Terkath, twenty-three years old, an electrician at Baldwin's Locomotive works, lost the sight of both eyes through an accident in the Hamilton street shop.

He was repairing a motor and he accidentally touched a live wire with a steel tool he held in his hand. He was bending over the motor at the time, and a shower of sparks and fire flew from the motor to his face.

He was stunned and after he was revived by other workmen he was unable to see. He was taken to the Medical-Chirurgical hospital. The physicians say his sight has been destroyed.

### Germany Rocked by 'Quake.'

Berlin, July 22.—Beside the sharp shocks of earthquake felt throughout Wurtemberg, tremors were experienced all over southern Germany, extending from Strassburg by way of Frankfurt to Munich, in Bavaria, and as far as Zurich, in Switzerland. Many persons were thrown down in the streets and hundreds ran in terror out of their houses.

### Girl Silk Workers Strike.

Bowmanstown, Pa., July 22.—Fifty girls employed by the Bowman Silk company are on strike for an increase of \$1 a week in wages. The striking girls say that the most skilled hands are at present being paid only \$19.50 for two weeks' work, while the majority are being paid from 30 to 50 cents a day.

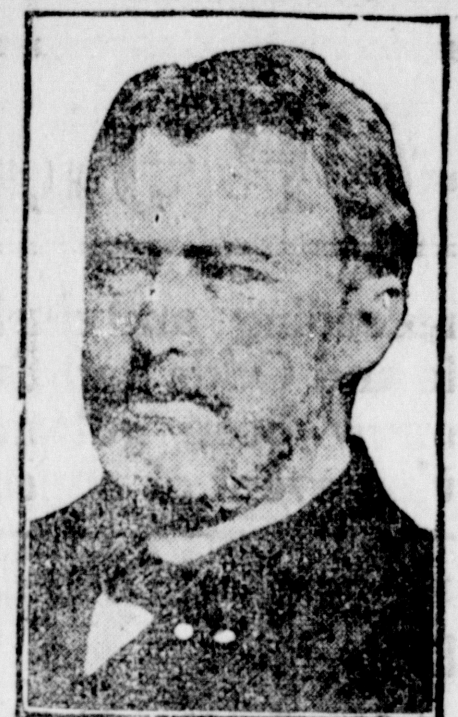
### Preventing Udder Troubles.

"Dairymen would have themselves an immense amount of worry, work and loss if they instantly isolated a cow when anything is seen to be wrong with her udder," says Dr. A. S. Alexander of the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin. "Infection from germs is present in nearly all cases of mammitis (garget) of the udder. The infection is often carried from the diseased cow to other cows by the milkers' hands, or the infection spreads from stall floors and gutters contaminated by milk or pus from a caked udder. The contents of a diseased udder should never be milked out to the stall floor. The affected cow should be milked last or by some one who does not milk the other cows. All milkers should be careful to wash their hands frequently and to keep their finger nails short and clean."

### Burglars Slay Policeman.

New York, July 22.—John Cahill, a policeman, was murdered, probably by burglars when he surprised in an attempt to break into the rectory back of St. Matthew's Catholic church, in Brooklyn. The marks of a jimmy were on the door. The thieves were supposed to be after a special collection taken up on Sunday at the church. Cahill was stabbed and shot.

## U. S. GRANT, JR. Who Wedded Rich Widow In San Diego, Cal.



## SUFFRAGISTS IN RIOT WITH LONDON POLICE

Battle With Batpins When Mrs. Pankhurst is Arrested.

London, July 22.—In one of the fiercest riots which has marked the suffragette propaganda in Great Britain, Mrs. Pankhurst, leader of the militants, was arrested, with six of her followers.

The fight with the detectives came when they tried to seize Mrs. Pankhurst as she was entering the music hall pavilion, where her daughter, Sylvia, and other prominent suffragettes were holding a meeting.

Mrs. Pankhurst was seized after a violent struggle and when the frenzied women saw their leader in the hands of the police they charged upon them, using batpins and all sorts of weapons.

The police, however, held on to their prisoner, and repeatedly resisted the attacks of the women. Six other women, who were ringleaders in the attack, were also taken into custody.

When Mrs. Pankhurst was conveyed to the Holloway jail to serve some more of her three year sentence for conspiracy she refused to walk and desperately resisted the wardens, who carried her into the prison.

Several women were slightly injured in the scuffle that followed the arrest of Mrs. Pankhurst and seventy policemen were necessary to restore order.

Miss Annie Kenney, also at liberty under ticket of leave, was roundly cheered when she entered the pavilion. Miss Annie Kenney raised \$150 for the "cause" by auctioning her hat and "cat and mouse" license. It was bought by an American woman who did not give her name. She said she wanted the license as a souvenir to send to President Wilson.

## MILLIONS FOR IRISH LANDS

Birrell Says \$300,000,000 Is Needed to Complete Purchase Act.

London, July 22.—Three hundred million dollars, in addition to the \$225,000,000 already expended, was the estimate given by Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, of the sum necessary to complete the operation of land purchase in Ireland in accordance with the provisions of the land purchase acts of 1903 and 1909.

These acts make it compulsory for a landlord to permit his tenant to buy the land he cultivates.

Of the \$300,000,000 Mr. Birrell said it would be necessary to borrow only \$120,000,000 through the public issue of land stock. The rest will be financed by the national debt commissioners under a new bill which will give compulsory powers to the government to make the vendors receive half the purchase price in 3 per cent stock.

### Boy Trampled to Death.

Columbia, Pa., July 22.—Paul, the seventeen-year-old son of Abram Shelly, of Mastersville, was fatally trampled by a horse in the barn on his father's farm. Paul fell through the loft floor and landed in a stall under a horse, which became frightened and trampled the lad in a terrible manner his face being crushed beyond recognition.

### Woman Smothered Two Children.

Saginaw, Mich., July 22.—According to the police, Mrs. Agnes Yoder, aged twenty-seven years, has confessed that she killed her two infant children by smothering them at different times. One of the victims was two days old. The other was five months old. The woman's husband filed application for her admittance to the State Asylum for the Insane.

### Pennsylvania Grange Enterprise.

When the governor of Pennsylvania refused, or at least failed, to appoint any one from that state to represent it on the tour of investigation of the agriculture of European countries, with special reference to farm finances and financial systems, the state grange took the matter in hand and appointed Mr. James G. McSparan as its representative and that of Pennsylvania as well.

Mr. McSparan is a practical farmer and a banker who has been a member of the grange for many years and is especially well qualified to make a study of rural credits.

## An Escape

By LUCY K. WYNKOOP

Joe Green, a boy ten years old, lost his father, then his mother, and was thrown out upon the world at an age when he should have been subject to the necessary training to direct him in an honorable career.

Joe was a bright boy and fitted for a better life than robbery and passing the principal part of his life in jail and the rest of it undergoing the risk of jail or something else. But the time had not come for him to show strength of character enough to enable him to break away from the path in which fate had placed him. When he was fifteen he and some other youngsters attempted to rob a man who defended himself till a policeman arrived, and the boys were all caught in the act.

Joe, who was the youngest of the lot, was sent to a reformatory. It was one of those prisons where boys are taught some trade by which to earn an honorable living. There was a power house, with an engine to drive the machinery in the other buildings. Joe was interested in this engine as soon as he saw it and succeeded in getting himself assigned as a helper to the engineer. He began by shoveling coal into the furnace, but showed such aptitude for mechanics that he was advanced to the post of assistant engineer.

To be more explicit about Joe's aptitude, he was full of resources. Where another person would take an ordinary result to accomplish a mechanical result he would take a short way. The first notice that was taken of this facility was one day when a machine broke. A piece of work that was due to be finished at a certain time was dependent upon it. It would require some time to procure the broken part, and it seemed that the work it was doing must stop. Joe suggested a way by which it might be temporarily repaired and the work go on. His suggestion was acted upon and the work finished in time.

Joe became so infatuated with machinery that he was anxious to get out into the world and become a machinist. He was not a patient boy—few persons whose abilities are of the kind called genius are—so his inventive brain turned toward a method of escape from the reformatory that he might go to some place where his past would not be known and enter upon a career connected with machinery. He thought over a number of plans by which he might get out of the prison, but none of them were practicable.

But at last he hit upon an original conception, one that was allied to the science of mechanics. Some mathematical knowledge was required to put it into practice, but there was a school in the reformatory which the boys were required to attend, and Joe showed a considerable aptitude in a mathematical way.

The suggestion came in this way: The power house was built against the prison wall. Besides the engine, it contained a broad leather belt turned by the shaft, the upper end running over gearing attached to the ceiling. Beside this gearing was a window, which was usually kept open in order to let out the heated air of the engine and furnace room.

One morning it occurred to Joe that the belt might possibly be used as a conveyance to carry one to the window, whence he might lower himself to the ground outside the prison wall.

But no one could jump from the belt to the window without running the risk of being dashed against it or falling to a brick yard pavement below it, or both. There was but one time when such a ride could be taken.

That was when the steam had been shut off and the belt was slowing up previous to stopping its revolution. This was attended to by the engineer himself at 6 o'clock every workday evening, and there were usually other persons, prisoners or officials, about during the closing hour; therefore the feat must be performed in presence of others.

Joe found time when he was supposed to be studying to calculate a point where he could jump on to the belt, be carried to the window and stop there, though the basis of these calculations was obtained by watching the belt revolve previous to stopping, noting especially the position of the facing with reference to the point at which the belt must be boarded.

He was months making these calculations and calculations and at last was enabled to fix a point which many notions at the closing hour showed as ways stopped at the window.

One evening when there was no one but the engineer and Joe in the engine room the former saw the belt seize a coiled rope that he had kept ready

for his purpose, jump on the belt, hold on to each edge, ride to the window and disappear. The engineer was too astonished to give an alarm, and whether he gave one at all was not settled at the investigation that followed the daring feat.

It was midnight when Joe Green made his experiment, and it was not only dark without, but a snowstorm was raging. Joe was never heard of again, but a much respected and wealthy contractor for machinery named Joseph Greer is living in Rio de Janeiro. He never talks about his boyhood, but has given away a fortune for the betterment of boys who are deprived of a home training and has helped hundreds of young men who have served terms in prison to a means of earning an honest livelihood.

### State Master Honored.

Professor H. J. Patterson, master of the Maryland state grange, has recently been elected president of the State Agricultural college. He has been the director of the state experiment station for several years, where he has performed a most efficient service, and now called to a higher position will infuse new inspiration into the work of the agricultural college. The old institution had become antiquated and feeble, and finally fire swept



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